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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kazuhiko Honda, et al.

Application No. : 10/568,997

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For : PROCESS OF PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTION

SYSTEM OF HIGH STRENGTH GALVANNEALED

STEEL SHEET

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated April 20, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Applicants submit concurrently herewith a Petition for Extension of Time.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.